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TITLE OF INVENTION: PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, CLIENT IN THE PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT METHOD IN THE PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, DATA RETRIEVAL METHOD IN THE PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT

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